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MATERIALS DIVISION MONTHLY REPORT

2 June 1958

TO : Chief, Materials Division

FROM : Chief, Nonferrous Metals and Minerals Branch

BRANCH: M/NF

Report for the Month of May 1958

I. Accomplishments

- for report*
- A. Completed Intelligence Collection Guide on Hungary.
 - B. Completed review of Poland NIS, Section 63, with OBI.
 - ✓ C. Completed review of Albanian NIS, Section 60.
 - ✓ D. Completed the M/NF contribution to Office-Wide project on Soviet Industrial Production Index.
 - E. Completed the revision of an Intelligence Memorandum entitled "Recent Developments in the Copper Trade of the USSR."
 - ✓ F. Prepared requirements for [redacted] on nonferrous metals, with particular emphasis on potential applications to Soviet guided missile program. 25X1A2g
 - ✓ G. Completed revision and updating of M/NF estimates cards for Central Estimates File.
 - H. [redacted] departed for Paris on 15 May 1958 to participate with Defense experts in COCOM revisions. 25X1A9a
 - I. [redacted] attended the Third Conference on Reactive Metals, 27-29 May 1958, Buffalo, New York. 25X1A9a
 - J. [redacted] participated with OCR/IR in preparation of a three-digit coding system for nonferrous metals. 25X1A9a
 - K. Completed comments on Value and Use of CS reports to M/NF.
 - L. Completed several voluntary Evaluations of CS reports in an attempt to provide better guidance for DD/P. *other report*
 - M. Gave representative of DD/P/SR, [redacted] a thorough briefing on M/NF's requirements on the Soviet aluminum industry. 25X1A8a

II. Program -- Nothing to reportIII. Administration

- A. Staff additions -- Nothing to report.
- B. Branch structure -- Nothing to report.
- C. Training

1. [redacted] and [redacted] completed the ORR course in statistics and both received creditable grades. 25X1A9a

2. [redacted] is enrolled in the Agency course in German Reading. 25X1A9a

3. [redacted] is enrolled in the Agency course in Intermediate Russian Reading. 25X1A9a

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IV. Comments -- None

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